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	(d) They present additional claims without canceling a	corresponding number of finally rej	ected claims.					
	NOTE: <u>See Continuation Sheet</u> . (See 37 CFR 1.1							
4. [The amendments are not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.1	21. See attached Notice of Non-Co	mpliant Amendment	(PTOL-324).				
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6. [Newly proposed or amended claim(s) would be all non-allowable claim(s).	llowable if submitted in a separate,	timely filed amendme	ent canceling the				
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Continuation of 3. NOTE: the proposed amendment raises new issues that require further consideration .

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